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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION

JOHN ANTHONY GENTRY, *sui juris/pro se* )  
Plaintiff )  
vs. )  
THE STATE OF TENNESSEE; )  
PAMELA ANDERSON TAYLOR; )  
BRENTON HALL LANKFORD; )  
SARAH RICHTER PERKY; )  
UNNAMED LIABILITY INSURANCE )  
CARRIER(S); Et al )  
Defendants )

CASE NO. 3:17-0020

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED(12)

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**PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE OF COURT FOR DEPOSITION OF  
HONORABLE JUDGE JOE H THOMPSON  
OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE EX PARTE HEARING**

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Plaintiff, John Anthony Gentry, pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 30, hereby requests leave of the Court for deposition by oral examination of The Honorable Judge Joe H Thompson, or in the alternative that the Court Order an Ex Parte Hearing.

Rule 30 states a party may depose any person, including a party. In Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint (Docket Entry 36, p. 99), Plaintiff identified The Honorable Judge Joe H Thompson as a Witness. Plaintiff respectfully asserts, that deposition testimony, or in the alternative Ex Parte Hearing, would "clear the air" regarding any conflicting views of the facts of the case. Plaintiff asserts this would facilitate all parties to recognize fault or no fault, and

would progress this matter to a meaningful and efficient resolution. As a Pro Se litigant, Plaintiff has no desire to burden this court unnecessarily and suggests a deposition or ex parte hearing with Judge Thompson could facilitate amicable resolution of this matter. Plaintiff also suggests such a deposition or ex parte hearing, may also facilitate the parties' better understanding of the facts which could also facilitate an amicable resolution of this matter.

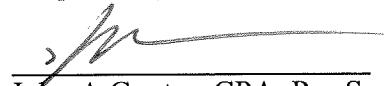
As Plaintiff has stated to the Court before, Plaintiff is grateful of the Court's understanding that Plaintiff is representing himself Pro Se and does not understand the inner workings of the judicial process and simply desires a just and fair outcome in this matter in the most efficient manner possible.

**WHEREAS PREMISES CONSIDERED, PLAINTIFF PRAYS UPON THE COURT:**

For the Court to grant leave to Plaintiff to conduct deposition of The Honorable Judge Joe H Thompson by oral examination;

Or alternatively, to Order an Ex Parte Hearing requiring the presence of Plaintiff and the Honorable Judge Joe H Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,



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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

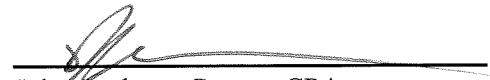
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